

**Godey's Lady's Book.**  
The January number of this splendid and unique periodical is already on our table. Godey has fully redeemed his promise that this number should surpass its predecessors. It contains 72 pages, 18 different designs embracing 29 engravings and 39 contributors. The engravings on steel are very superior and the designs original and highly artistic. "The Constant" is a beautiful work of art and is rather a dangerous picture for single gentlemen to gaze upon, representing as it does in all its parts the most enchanting scenes of domestic and matrimonial felicity. "The Four Eras of Life" represents scenes which are suggestive of some of the most happy as well as the most solemn reflections. "The Sylphs of the seasons" is an exquisite thing and finely designed. The only fault we have to find with the double fashion plate, representing the merry Christmas and the happy New Year, is, that the two individuals in the splendid slights are both in ladies' attire. This contravenes all our ideas and experience of the pleasures of sleigh-riding and if the fashion now will not we think last through the holidays. The music is a pretty little air, but not quite lively enough for new years. The prose and poetry are better perhaps than an average of preceding numbers, which is saying no little in their favor.  
Now is a good time to subscribe for this work and as it should be found in every parlor, we would suggest to our gentlemen friends that a year's subscription to Godey could not fail to be a most acceptable Christmas or New Year's present to their wives, daughters, sisters or lady-loves.  
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**Severe Storm.**  
The telegraph reports a severe storm as having occurred at Cape Girardeau, Mo., on the 29th ult., which caused great loss of life and destruction of property. The Baptist and Catholic churches were destroyed and the steamer Saramk No. 2, injured severely. In the town, some 70 or 80 of the finest buildings were demolished and many persons killed. A cow was blown into the top of a pine some forty feet from the ground.

**Constitutional Convention.**  
On the opening of the Convention on Wednesday morning, Mr. Vance, of Butler, took the chair and announced the illness of the President.

Several petitions were presented, praying for the suppression of the traffic in intoxicating liquors. Referred.

The former Sergeant-at-Arms (Mr. Charlton) having previously tendered his resignation, and it having been accepted, an election was had to fill the vacancy, and resulted in the choice of Henry Okey.

The Convention then went into a committee of the whole—Mr. Archibole in the chair—and took up Report, No. 1 of the Committee on the Executive Finance.

Mr. Woodbury offered an amendment, to strike out the word "white" from the term "white male citizens."

Mr. Hawkins offered an amendment to the amendment, to strike out the word "males."

The question recurring on the amendment as amended, it was lost.

A lengthy debate sprang up, on the length of time that a voter should be required to reside in the township or ward, prior to casting his vote.

Adjourned for dinner.

In the afternoon, the report of the committee on Education was taken up in committee of the whole, and debated at length, until the rising of the committee.

The committee on the Hall made a report recommending that a canvas ceiling be raised over the Hall, cutting off the galleries, and thus rendering the room better adapted for speaking and hearing. The report was laid upon the table.

The Convention adjourned.

We should have stated yesterday, that in the Convention on Tuesday afternoon, the committee on printing reported in favor of continuing the official publication of the minutes in the Columbus papers, and directing the reporter to transmit the reports to the printer at Columbus, at a cost not exceeding twenty-five cents per page. The reason for continuing the official reports in the Columbus papers is because they have a more general circulation over the entire State than any of the Cincinnati Dailies.—*Cin. Gaz.*

**OHIO LEGISLATURE.**

**Standing Committees of the Senate.**  
OF PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS.—Messrs. Vind, Simpson and Hart.  
OF FINANCE.—Messrs. Broadwell, Hatch, Walker, Howard and Geiger.  
OF THE JUDICIARY.—Messrs. Eckley, Payne, Lawrence, Burgess and Vinal.  
ON CLAIMS.—Messrs. Hart, Blackley, and Lewis.  
ON PUBLIC WORKS AND PUBLIC LANDS.—Messrs. Vinal, Alward and Eckley.  
ON TOADS AND HIGHWAYS.—Messrs. Cunningham, Scherzer and Van Burskirk.  
ON RAILROADS AND TURPKIPES.—Messrs. Lawrence, Myers and Eckley.  
ON SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL LANDS.—Messrs. Lyman, Park and Dawson.  
ON COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES AND ACADEMIES.—Messrs. Brown, Smith and Barker.  
ON MEDICAL COLLEGES AND SOCIETIES.—Messrs. Scherzer, Blackley and Smith.  
ON MILITIA.—Messrs. Simpson, Randall and Bull.  
ON AGRICULTURE.—Messrs. Barker, Foust, and Lyman.  
ON MANUFACTURES AND COMMERCE.—Messrs. Howard, Bland and Ferguson.  
ON CORPORATIONS.—Messrs. Walker, Myers and Broadwell.  
ON CURRENCY.—Messrs. Randall, Payne and Barker.  
ON REVOLVING PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.—Messrs. Lewis, Alward and Broadwell.  
ON FIRE, MARINE AND LIFE INSURANCE.—Messrs. Kilbourn and Horton.  
ON THE LIBRARY.—Messrs. Harris, Lawrence and Ferguson.  
ON STATE BUILDINGS.—Messrs. Geiger, Hatch and Lewis.  
ON NEW COUNTIES.—Messrs. Horton, Bull and Hart.  
ON RETIREMENT.—Messrs. Blockson, Linton and Cunningham.  
ON SALARIES AND FEES OF PUBLIC OFFICERS.—Messrs. Van Burskirk, Lyman, Foust.  
ON PUBLIC PRINTING.—Messrs. Thompson, Kilbourn and Beeson.  
ON FURNITURE.—Messrs. Linton, Blockson and Randall.  
ON ENROLLMENT.—Messrs. Bill, Padree and Thompson.  
Mr. Salter asked to be excused from serving on any committee, in consequence of general ill health.  
Agreed to.  
Messrs. Lawrence and Myers were then excused from serving on the committee on Railroads and Turpkipes.

**Congress.—First Day.**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.

At 10 o'clock the president called the senate to order. The roll was called, and 39 senators answered to their names.  
Mr. Sturgeon offered a resolution that the Secretary inform the house that a quorum was present, and ready to proceed to business. Adopted.

A message was received from the house stating that a quorum was present.

Mr. Berrien submitted a resolution that a committee of two be appointed by the Chair, to act with a like committee of the house, and inform the President, that a quorum was present in each, and ready to receive any communication from him. Adopted, and Messrs. Berrien and Dickinson was appointed the committee.

The committee retired, and at 25 minutes before 2 o'clock they returned and reported that they had seen the President, and that he would communicate without delay. About five minutes after the message of the President was received.

House.—Galleries were filled. Members of the floor exchanging salutations—great confusion of tongues, which was silenced at 12 o'clock by Speaker calling—seats taken and comparative stillness.

The Clerk then called the roll, when 160 members called to their names.

A message from the senate was then read informing the house that that body was ready to proceed to business. A similar message was sent from the house to the senate.

On motion of Mr. Hilliard, it was resolved that a committee be appointed by the house to join such a committee on the part of the senate to wait on the President and inform him that a quorum of both houses is now in session, and that Congress is ready to receive any communication which he may be pleased to make.

In accordance with this, Messrs. Hilliard, McDowell and Duer were appointed a committee.

Mr. Hilliard, from the joint committee, reported that the President would immediately send the Message to both houses. It was then announced, and was handed by the Speaker to Mr. Clark, who read it.

Mr. Wentworth gave notice that at an early day he would move to take up the River and Harbor bill.

**Congressional.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.  
SENATE.—The Chair announced the Standing Committees. No change had been made in the chairman of the Committees except in one case—the Finance Committee, where the change had been made by the Senator himself. The other changes were necessary to fill vacancies and to equalize the duties among all the Senators. The chairman is first named on each committee. Dickinson peremptorily declined being re-appointed chairman of the Finance Committee.

FOREIGN RELATIONS.—Foose, Cass, Mangum, Phelps, Douglas.  
FINANCE.—Hunter, Bright, Pearce, Benton, Ewing.  
COMMERCE.—Hamlin, Soule, Davis, of Miss., Dodge, of Wis., Bell.  
TERRITORIES.—Douglas, Seward, Houston, Underwood.  
MILITARY AFFAIRS.—Jeff. Davis, Borland, Green, Shields, Dawson.  
NAVAL AFFAIRS.—Yulee, Mason, Badger, Miller, Gwyn.  
PUBLIC LANDS.—Feltz, Shields, Winthrop, Fremont, Smith.  
ROADS AND CANALS.—Bright, Atcheson, Green, Pratt, Spruance.  
CLAIMS.—Morris, Whitcomb, Underwood, Baldwin, Pratt.  
JUDICIARY.—Butler, Downs, Bradbury, Berrien, Dayton.  
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.—Mason, Yulee, Miller, Shields, Berrien.  
Other committees are the same as last year.

Mr. Cass was excused from serving on the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The Rev. B. M. Butler, Episcopalian, was elected Chaplain.

Adverse report on private claims of last session was concurred in.

Mr. Cooper announced the death of Chester Butler, when the customary resolutions were adopted.

After some unimportant business the Senate adjourned.

House.—Mr. Chandler announced the death of Chester Butler, who died in Philadelphia, Nov. 5th. The customary resolutions were adopted and as a mark of further respect the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—SENATE.—Dayton Underwood and Green, appeared in their seats.

It was resolved that Mr. King President pro tem, be authorized to appoint standing Committees.

Mr. Benton gave notice of several bills granting land to Missouri for Internal Improvements; to grant to that State the two per cent fund for the same purpose, to grant lands to construct a Railroad and common highway from St. Louis to San Francisco, to relinquish the tolls on the Louisville and Portland Canal, to cede public lands to the State in which they lie. He also offered a resolution calling for the proceedings of Court Martial on private soldiers, tried at Portsmouth, New Hampshire. Adjourned.

House.—A number of new members appeared in their seats to-day.

Rev. Mr. Gurley, Presbyterian, was re-elected Chaplain, receiving 96 of the 174 votes cast.

Members were ordered to be supplied with newspapers not to exceed three dailies for the session. Adj.

**Later from Porto Rico.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 4, P. M.  
The brig Narrituck arrived this morning, bringing advices from Porto Rico, to 16th of Nov. The intelligence of moment was that the inhabitants of Ponce were in continual perturbation, in anticipation of a hostile visit from Gen. Lopez. A report was in circulation that he was in the vicinity of the island, at the head of an armed expedition. As soon as this rumor gained credence the government ordered out all the troops and organized the citizens into companies and patrolled them on the wharves to repel the anticipated invasion.

**Estate of Minerva Cole, Dec'd.**

ALL persons interested will take notice that the subscriber has been by the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of Minerva Cole dec'd.

JEREMIAH FILES, Adm'r.  
Dec. 9, 1850.—4wp

**WALK UP!**

AS we wish to close our present business as soon as possible, persons indebted to us will please call and settle their accounts immediately. J. V. ROBINSON & SON.  
Dec. 5, 1850.

**Dissolution.**

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing in the Cabinet Making business, under the firm of Briant & Jones, was dissolved on the 1st of December, instant, by mutual consent. All demands against the late firm, and all accounts due the same, will be settled by the subscriber, who still continues to carry on the business as usual, at the old stand on Court Street.

J. V. ROBINSON & SON.  
Portsmouth, December 1st, 1850.

**NOTES ABOUT TOWN.**

**Fire.**  
Briant & Jones' Cabinet shop, on Court, between Front and 2d sts., was discovered to be on fire, on Tuesday night, about half past 11 o'clock. The fire was extinguished with but little damage to the building, though some of the furniture which it contained was injured.

**Fatal Accident.**  
A young man by the name of Wm. Ingalls was engaged with another, day before yesterday, in cutting down a tree in the bottom on the west side of Scioto, when before he was able to get out of the way, it fell upon him causing almost instant death.

In consequence of the earnest request of the ladies of Chillicothe, for a repetition of the course of lectures by Miss Coates, and her compliance with their wishes, that lady will not reach here before Wednesday or Thursday next. Her lectures give general satisfaction everywhere, as well they may, being on a subject of such vital importance to the fairest part of creation, and being given in a manner at once agreeable and effective.

**Amin Bey.**  
By a letter from J. P. Brown Esq., the companion of Amin Bey, to a friend and old Schoolmate in this place, we learn that he and his Ottoman friend, will pass through this place on the way to Cincinnati, the beginning of this week. Being in haste to complete their visit to the South they will be unable to spend much time here, but we would suggest the propriety of having a room provided for their reception, where our citizens might be introduced to the representative of the Sublime Porte and pay a becoming tribute of respect to that nation which gave an asylum to Kossuth and his compatriots.

**A White Rat.**  
Mr. George Smith, of the firm of Barker & Smith, down stairs, caught at his house, yesterday, a white rat. This is rather an anomaly, in this country, at least, and among the four-legged, long-tailed animals. Not being much of a zoologist, we cannot well explain how the said rat became its present color. But, everybody has heard of Dr. Kells, and everybody has heard the doctor expatiate upon the superior properties of his wonderful Rat Expeller. Well, would it be unreasonable to suppose that the aforesaid rat, having had the temerity to stay in town, in direct violation of the express command of Kells, that  
"Your rats shall disappear—  
You can tell where they've went—"  
now finds itself in the sad predicament above mentioned—a terrible warning to rats generally, and those especially with which Dr. Kell's may come in contact. George has his rat in a cage. We got a sight—for nothing!

**MARRIED.**  
On the 3d inst., in Ripley, by Rev. P. P. Ingles, Mr. Wm. J. SHIPMAN, of Portsmouth, Ohio, and Miss CATHERINE L. BRASIER, of Ripley, Ohio.

**Look here, my Friend!**  
Stop, and let us **REAS** Together.  
Are you a Father, laboring for the support of a family, and suffering from general debility and low spirits, so that life almost seems a burden, use Dr. S. D. HOWE'S SHAKER SARSAPARILLA.

**ARE YOU A MOTHER,**  
suffering from disease to which females are generally subject, use Dr. S. D. HOWE'S SHAKER SARSAPARILLA—it will certainly cure you.

Male or female, old or young, ALL and EVERY family should have this excellent FAMILY REMEDY on hand. Call at our depot, or on one of our Agents, and get a pamphlet, gratis, where you will find

**Facts! Facts! Facts!!!**  
That can be substantiated by thousands of living witnesses in this city and country, viz: that the

**Shaker Sarsaparilla,**  
As prepared by Dr. S. D. HOWE, has been the means of permanently curing more diseases to which the human family are continually subjected, than any other preparation of Sarsaparilla ever yet brought before the public.

The purity and efficacy of the Shaker preparation is well known and requires no long list of certificates and cures to introduce it; its increased demand for the past two years, is its best recommendation.

This medicine has established its high reputation throughout New York and New Hampshire, and the eastern States generally, by its numerous and well attested cures; and also by the recommendation and approval of the first physicians, who now use it in their private practice.

**It is the only Sarsaparilla that acts on the Liver, Kidneys and blood at the same time, which renders it altogether more valuable to every one, particularly Females.**

Dr. Mussey, Professor in the Ohio Medical College, says the Shaker preparations are truly valuable, and recommends them to the public.

NO MERCURY—NO MINERAL—NO POISONOUS DRUGS IN THE SHAKER SARSAPARILLA.

**REMEMBER,**  
It is warranted to be purely and ENTIRELY VEGETABLE.

And as a Female and Family medicine it has no equal.

Be sure that you inquire for Dr. S. D. HOWE'S SHAKER SARSAPARILLA, and take no other.

Price \$1 per bottle or 6 bottles for \$5.  
For sale by J. R. S. D. HOWE & CO., Proprietors,  
No. 1 College Hall, Cincinnati, Ohio.

To whom all orders must be addressed, and by J. L. McVey & Co. Portsmouth, E. R. Allen, Alton; Emmett & Davis, Waverly. Portsmouth, Oct. 14, '50—5yl.

**Bakery and Confectionery.**

**JOHN FRESHEL.**  
BREADS leave to announce to the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity, that he has removed to the frame building recently occupied by George Foght, on Front street, where he is prepared to supply customers with Bread, Cakes, and all kinds of Confectionery.  
Nov. 23, 1850—24wly.

**To Retailers.**

NEW Malaga Raisins in Layers, Prunes in Jars and Boxes, Almonds, rosin Nuts, Dried Currants and Citrus, with the attention of those giving parties, for sale by the package by  
Portsmouth, Nov. 19, 1850.  
S. R. ROSS.

Portsmouth Tribune and Index Register Oct. 1850.

**SECOND STOCK OF FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS,**

AT  
**WM. ELDEN & CO.'S,**  
Regulators—Market St.,

WHERE has just been received a large lot of very desirable and scarce goods. Making stock at present the best assortment and largest in the place. We invite the particular attention of the Ladies to our excellent assortment of Dress Goods, Trimmings, etc., all of our friends and the "rest of mankind," to our general assortment of goods.

Country Merchant will find a large and most desirable stock to select from, and some great bargains.

Call on us ALL, and examine yourselves, or the truth we contend for; that the Regulators is the place to make your purchases.

**WILLIAM ELDEN & CO.,**  
Regulators of Dry Goods.  
Portsmouth, O., Nov. 14, '50.

**THE AGENT IN HARNESS.**

Ho! ye lame, ye blind, and halt,  
Who will ye blame, if ye walk not.

I HAVE just conceived a choice assortment of superior Horse Medicines. (The most of which, are specially adapted to the human family.) Prepared by Dr. M. Z. Kreider and Levi Thorne, the great veterinary Surgeon from England, consisting of

Thorn's Improved Lotion for Distemper and Swelling;  
do Improved Haver Powder;  
do do Eye Water;  
do Condition Powder for Purifying the Blood;  
do Physic or Purg for Hots;  
do Ointment for Scratches or Mange;  
do Horse Blisters;  
do Cholic Remedy;  
do Liniment, an admirable remedy for many diseases;  
German Valerian Tincture, or Wound Balsam.

The remarkable beauty of these medicines is, they are all for sale by  
**L. G. TERRY,**  
United States Hotel.  
Portsmouth, Nov. 19, 1850—widwz

**Scioto & Hoeking Valley RAILROAD.**

GRADED PROPOSALS will be received at the Railroad Office in Portsmouth, Ohio, until the first day of January, A. D. 1851, for the Grading, Masonry and Bridging of 25 miles of the above named road—20 miles east of Portsmouth to the 20th mile Post, two miles East of Bloomfield, Scioto county, and five miles extending from Jackson, Jackson county, southerly to station number 2016.

The character of the work is such as is usually found in the State, consisting of about 30 sections of Grading, varying from five to eighty thousand cubic yards.

Plans and specifications will be ready for examination after the 15th day of December next, and the line ready for inspection after about the 20th of December.

Contractors proposing for the Bridging may bid according to plans furnished by the Engineer, or according to plans furnished by themselves.

Also, for 60,000 White or Barr Oak, Black Walnut or Yellow Locust Cross-Ties, 6 inches thick, 10 inches wide, and 8 feet long, to be delivered proportionally along the line, before October 1, A. D. 1851.

Blank Proposals will be furnished to Contractors, and all necessary information given, at the Office of the company, concerning the quantity and quality of the work, by the chief Engineer, or by the resident Engineers on the line, after the 15th day of December next.

By order of the Board of Directors,  
**J. V. ROBINSON, Pres't.**  
**J. W. WEBB, Chief Eng'r.**  
Scioto & Hoeking Valley Railroad Office,  
Portsmouth, Nov. 19, 1850.

Jackson Standard, Chillicothe Gazette, Lancaster Gazette, and Ohio Statesman, publish weekly till day of letting, and send bills to this office.  
Nov. 2, 1850—24l

**PUBLIC ESTIMATION.**

We, the undersigned, residents of Sing Sing, Westchester county, N. Y., certify that we have used **B. SANDREK'S PILLS**, the Vegetable Universal Medicine, individually, and in our families, and have found them the best medicine we ever used. We believe them to be deserving of all confidence, by the public at large. We have seen the most beneficial effects from their use, in diseases generally considered of an opposite character. In no case have we seen, or heard, of any injury from their use; but on the contrary, the most decided benefits.

**S. A. Corey** James Lock  
**Wm Dargue** Elisha Ryder  
**Wm Anderson** S. M. Tompkins  
**Gen Sherwood** Sam'l C. Nichols  
**James Smith** M. J. Lockwood  
**Thomas Bailey** John B. Leat  
**G. E. Stanton, P. M.** G. Vanwick  
**Robert Leat** Reuben Quimby  
**Edward P. Gates** Jas. Colyer  
**Wm Nichols** Wm Mangum  
**Elizabeth Maegan** Moses Stanton  
**Gilbert Cotter** F. Vazant  
**Jacob Anker** E. Delaney  
**David Delaney** Nancy Sing  
**Louis Orkman** John Balfour  
**John M. Tappan** Wm A. Jean  
**Peter L. Yoe** Levi Phillips  
**N. Wheeler** B. W. Tunstall  
**P. Davis** Thos Anderson  
**E. W. Kingsley** Samuel Van Allen  
**Wm Lawrence** Alfred Bridger  
**Harvey Newell** James Storrs  
**Wm E. Compton** James Manser  
**Isaac Nelson** Jack Foranay  
**John Hitchcock** Wilson Orr  
**Joseph L. Smith** G. W. Crest  
**Daniel B. Hyard** B. Smith  
**Richard Collins** A. E. Nickerson  
**Matthew Butler** Levi Forsyth  
**John Vredenburg** E. R. Westcott  
**John A. Atchison** James C. Smith  
**E. Jennings** Wm Atchison  
**Abner F. Joy, Jr.** H. Gresham  
**G. Conner** J. J. Green  
**S. Fortmeyer** Abm Miller  
**C. A. Lewis** Stephen Ayles  
**T. E. Bridger** James Bridger  
**Wm Campbell** Isaac C. Smith  
**Henry Harris** James Popley.

For Sale by the following Agents.  
**J. Louwick & Son,** Portsmouth; Kyle & Johnson, Hanging Rock; Jas. Burgess, Haverhill; Wm. Brown, Sciotoville; B. Johnson, Burlington; W. A. S. Conner, Quakerbottom; C. B. Dunham, Pleasant C.; Marjine, Jackson; F. & S. D. Campbell, Chillicothe, etc.

Portsmouth, Dec. 2, 1850—35m2

**For the Fall and Winter Trade.**

**S. R. ROSS,**  
It is in receipt of valuable additions to his stock of GROCERIES, and invites the attention of his customers and others, to call on him at his extensive assortment, many articles not to be obtained elsewhere, and at the lowest possible prices.  
Portsmouth, November 19, 1850.

**COFFEE**—20 Bags Rio Coffee, 30 bags very superior, just received and for sale by  
Nov. 19, 1850.  
S. R. ROSS.

**SUGAR & MOLASSES** of new crop and S. R. ROSS, at quotations by  
Nov. 19, 1850.  
S. R. ROSS.

**WHEAT**—Syrup—10 Hbls. Golden Syrup of choice brand for sale by  
Nov. 19, 50.  
S. R. ROSS.

**NEW BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY.**

THE undersigned having associated themselves together under the name and style of

**R. BELL & CO.,**  
for the purpose of prosecuting the Boot and Shoe manufacturing business in all its various branches, would respectfully inform the citizens of Portsmouth, and the public generally, that they have commenced operating in the brick block two doors south of Messrs. Davis, Smith & Co., on Market street, at which place they intend keeping on hand every variety of Boots, Shoes, Slippers and Gaiters of their own manufacture at

**Wholesale and Retail.**  
To FURNACE MEN and DEALERS: we can furnish Boots and Shoes at such prices as will make it their interest to purchase at home, and can furnish them just such sizes, kinds and quantity as may be best adapted to their wants, and of such we solicit an examination of our Stock. We believe with many others, that no good cause exists to prevent successful manufacturing in the west, and with a view to testing its practicability, we have embarked in this enterprise, hoping to succeed, not only in benefiting ourselves, but to contribute in a proportionate degree to the benefit of others.

We will supply customers with our own work at retail at the lowest possible prices, made to order, of whatever material they may desire, and will give particular and prompt attention to orders at home and from abroad.

We are also receiving a full assortment of Eastern Work, comprising the different varieties of style usually kept in this market, to which we invite the particular attention of purchasers, as all our stock has been purchased direct from Manufacturers for CASH, and will be sold at very low rates.

To Manufacturers we offer the choicest **Rip, Calf, Kid, Morocco, Lining and Binding Skins**, together with **Sole and Upper Leather** and a general assortment of **Shoemakers Kit and Findings**. Suffice it to say that we expect to keep constantly on hand a full supply of

**BOOTS, SHOES AND LEATHER** of all descriptions, which will be offered to dealers and consumers at such rates as cannot fail to meet the views of the lowest buyers, and will spare no pains to please all who favor us with a call.

We pledge ourselves to FAIR TRADE and SMALL PROFITS, and all we ask is a fair trial, and such a share of patronage as the quality of goods, low prices and a disposition to accommodate may entitle us.

**R. BELL,**  
**J. W. DAVIS,**  
**L. P. N. SMITH.**  
Portsmouth, August 12, 1850—19

**WANTED.**

**50 JOURNEMEN SHOEMAKERS,** and Eight or Ten Fitters and Binders.  
**R. BELL & Co.**  
Portsmouth, Aug. 12, '50—19

**MILLER & ELSAS,**

**TAILORS.**  
No 1, Corner of Front & Jefferson Sts.  
HAVING made some new arrangements, and renewed their stock of Cloths, Cassimers, Vestings and Ready-Made Clothing, with a special view to the

**Fall and Winter Trade,**  
are now prepared to furnish their former customers, and all who may favor them with a call, with every article for a Gentleman's Wardrobe, of the best quality, the latest style and on the most accommodating terms.

**Wholesale or Retail.**  
Considering themselves second to none in Cutting and Fitting, and being determined not to be underbid, they invite gentlemen desirous of wearing a fine, fashionable and cheap suit of clothes to give them a call.

Cravats of various kinds, Pocketkerchiefs, Shirts, Gloves, Suspenders, &c, always on hand.  
Portsmouth, Sept. 2, 1850.—n22

**Boots and Shoes**

**Front St., One Door Below Jefferson.**  
I HAVE just received and am now opening the largest and best assorted stock in my line which I have ever offered for sale in this place, and which I am determined to dispose of at

**WHOLESALE or RETAIL,**  
as favorable terms as similar articles can be obtained for, here or elsewhere in the west.

As much of my stock has been manufactured by my own trade, I am able to warrant it as equal in quality to any other in this place, whether imported or manufactured, and can assure my old customers and the public generally that I can sell as **GOOD WORK** and at as **LOW A PRICE**, as any other dealer or manufacturer in this place.

A very full assortment of Caps, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Satchels, etc., etc., always on hand.  
**M. KEHOE.**  
Portsmouth, September 2, 1850.—n23

**J. LODWICK & SON'S,**

**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS** IN  
**DRY GOODS,**  
No. 66, Front Street,  
Two doors West of Franklin House.

ARE now receiving from the Eastern cities their Fall and Winter Goods, being a general and carefully selected stock of the most fashionable patterns. We will adhere to our established rule of doing business upon the

**Cheap Cash Principle,**  
and we repeat our old pledge that we will not be underbid by any other House in the city. The crowds of customers that continually flock to us

**CHEAP STORE,**  
is positive evidence that our citizens cannot longer be humbugged, but are awake to their interest and know where to get bargains.

We feel grateful for the liberal patronage we have received the past season which has enabled us to enlarge our stock—favor us with a call. No pains will be spared in exhibiting our goods, and nothing misrepesented.

Remember the **CHEAP CASH STORE,** No 66, Front street J. LODWICK & SONS.  
Portsmouth, Oct. 20, 1850—229

**FEATHERS**—20 sacks prime Feathers for sale by [Oct 21] S. R. ROSS.

**BUCKWHEAT FLOUR** in lots to suit for sale by [Nov